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Remarks

Applicants' acknowledge the allowance of claims 10, 11 and 13-16.

Claims 4, 9 and 22 have been objected to.

In the currently presented amendments, Claims 4 and 22 have been canceled. Claim 1 has been amended to incorporate the limitation previously set forth in claim 4. Claim 9 has been rewritten in independent form. Claim 17 has been amended to incorporate the limitation previously set forth in claim 22. Claim 14 has been amended to correct a grammatical error. The amendments are clearly supported by the original disclosure and do not incorporate new matter.

In view of the amendments, it is respectfully submitted that all of the currently presented claims are in form for allowance. Accordingly, reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections, and allowance of the currently presented claims are earnestly solicited.

Please charge any prosecutional fees which are due to Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc. deposit account number 11-0875.

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